

Personal Items

Mrs. A. L. Black, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Van Marter, left for Needles last night to accompany her husband to Bakersfield, where he has been transferred as fireman on the railroad.

G. N. Fannin, W. F. Gillum and J. D. Cage are late arrivals to this section from Phoenix.

E. Engelberg spent Thursday here from Peach Springs.

R. C. Ferguson and wife motored down from Chloride last Thursday and returned home the same evening.

C. B. Cravens and wife came down from Chloride in their car Monday last and visited with friends here.

Jay Barstow of Winslow, is one of the latest arrivals here from the eastern end of our state.

Adam Simons was a Kingman visitor this week from Thumb Butte in the Union Pass section.

A. N. Henning and J. K. Murphy were Kingmanites Thursday from Chloride.

S. A. Newton of Globe, is a recent arrival here.

J. F. Moon came in from Nelson Thursday to spend a day in town.

Mrs. C. J. Winters of Goldroad, was a guest of the Beale Wednesday.

E. C. Bradshaw and wife came in from the Leviathan mine last Wednesday and spent several days here before returning to that camp.

Charles Sutherland and wife visited with relatives here the early part of this week from their ranch on the Colorado River.

Milton A. Allen, mineral technologist, of the State Bureau of Mines at Tucson, Arizona, was a visitor here for several days of this week.

W. S. Daniels was one of the many residents of Chloride to visit Kingman this week.

Judge Paul C. Thorne visited at Chloride Thursday and Friday of this week to meet with the many voters there in the interest of his candidacy to succeed himself.

W. A. Walker arrived in town Friday with the finest load of watermelons ever seen in Kingman for many seasons. He brought them from his ranch on the west side of the Sacramento valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Kayes left today for Jerome, where they will make their home.

A. McMillan of San Francisco, Misses M. Collins and H. Kerr of Phoenix spent Monday in Kingman on a motor trip to the coast.

J. H. Dundon and wife came in from the Frisco camp in the Union Pass section Thursday and took a load of supplies home with them that evening.

Mrs. Frank Stone and baby son left for Los Angeles last week.

Mr. Lon Fridel returned from the coast, where he spent three weeks visiting friends. Mrs. Fridal remained at the coast.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ward are spending the next two weeks in Kingman.

C. J. Walters and family will be home Sunday after a three weeks' visit to the coast.

Benjamin H. Braffet, well known in Kingman, has resigned his position with the Desert Power and Water Company and has moved to Needles.

Wm. Walton and family have returned from the hot springs Friday and resumed his work as fireman at the Desert Power and Water Company.

F. A. Wilde left for the coast last week. He will go east for an extended visit before his return.

W. J. Hennessey visited Kingman last week. Mr. Hennessey is in the oil game at Holbrook.

E. G. Snow, who travels through this territory for the Western Electric Supply Company, passed through Kingman this week for the first time for several months. Mr. Snow was seriously injured early in April and for a long time unable to take care of his trade.

Electrician Pete Levesque is installing and wiring and connecting up power with the Emerald Isle Copper Company this week.

Geo. A. Soyars of the U. S. N. A. spent a few days in Kingman on business.

F. J. Benzer, W. Gove and Jos. C. Kemp were in Kingman the first part of the week from Wright's creek, where they are interested in mining properties.

Gordon Clark of the Holbrook, Merrill and Stetson Company of Los Angeles spent a few days in Kingman the first of the week on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Bradstreet of the Leviathan mine are spending the week end in town.

Mrs. A. E. Wallace and children returned to their home in Los Angeles last evening after a visit of some months with relatives here.

Miss Katherine Armour leaves for Los Angeles this evening for a two-weeks' vacation.

Mrs. Louise Manning leaves for the east today to spend her vacation with her mother.

Mr. Seth Harkey returned Wednesday after spending a couple of months vacation in Flagstaff and the Grand Canyon.

Mrs. Ray Robinson returned from the coast Wednesday where she spent the greater part of the summer with her mother.

W. L. Peters of Los Angeles was in Kingman Wednesday on business.

George Bonelli and son Frank returned from the Bonelli ranch Wednesday. Frank is awaiting his call, having enlisted in the aviation.

Mrs. F. E. Cummings has been very ill the past week.

M. B. Dudley received word this week that his brother Lieutenant Brooks Dudley had arrived safely in France. Mr. Dudley now has three brothers in the service.

Miss Alta Clack of Bisbee, Arizona, is visiting her mother in Kingman for two weeks.

Jack Porter returned from a vacation trip to the White Hills last week.

E. Elmo Bollinger spent last week end in Oatman.

J. H. Conway returned from Los Angeles Monday by train. Mrs. Conway staying at the coast for a while longer.

F. W. Sherman returned from Los Angeles Sunday, after spending a week in the coast city on business.

Miss Sylvia Poole returned from a two weeks' visit to the coast Sunday.

George Brock, former scout master of Kingman, was also one of the passengers on the train Friday morning.

W. E. Little of Los Angeles, who is interested in mining properties near Kingman, was in town Thursday.

Mrs. Vincent of Jerome visited friends in Kingman Friday morning when the trains were held here because of the wash outs. She was on her way to Salt Lake City to spend a short while with her sister Mrs. Kelly, who leaves for Red Cross service very soon.

M. Dickens, Ben Johnson and S. C. Ray form a list of persons from Prescott, Arizona, who were seen in Kingman this week.

I. L. Neal came up from Yucca the first of the week.

Mr. Raymond Long, of the Santa Fe, left for Flagstaff Sunday where he will meet his family who are returning from Kansas City where they spent the summer. They will spend a few days at the canyon before returning to Kingman.

O. H. Richardson and C. W. Richardson were visitors from Flagstaff this week.

H. L. Marchand came up from Yucca the first of the week and spent a day or so with friends here.

T. L. Sparks was in town attending to business matters from the Old Berkeley mine for a day during the early part of this week.

Charles Fransen, one of the oldest prospectors of the Oatman section, spent several days as a Kingman visitor this week.

J. W. Guinn was in town for several days this week from the Round Valley Ranch.

William Sitton and wife came in from the Sandy Tuesday to meet their daughter Lepha, who returned that evening from California, after a visit of several months with relatives.

Andres Rivas, Leferino Rodriguez, Emilio Florese, Marcelino Carrasco and Encarnacion Barrajo visited Kingman the first of this week from Crozier Station.

Mrs. R. A. Watson has gone to Fresno, California, where she will visit during the balance of the summer months with relatives.

J. D. Nelson came in from Seligman this week and is visiting here.

Charles Roe came up from the Round Valley Ranch the first of the week and has accepted a position with the Standard Oil Company at this place.

S. H. Miller and wife returned to the Coara Springs Ranch this week after a visit of some days here with relatives. Mr. Miller is employed at that place by Kayser Brothers.

Frank Kayser, wife and infant son returned from Los Angeles this week, where they have been for the past several months.

George Kayser and wife are visiting here from their ranch south of Hackberry.

E. M. Rogers, who is contracting on the Arizona Butte property at Stockton Hill, was a Kingman visitor this week.

A. Bracorty and Frank Salcido were in Kingman this week from Oatman.

W. L. Peters, the popular salesman for Swift and Company, was in Kingman several days this week attending to business for his firm.

Los Angeles Also

The Cash System is not only being adopted in Mohave County but all through the country as well.

The same financial conditions confront merchants elsewhere.

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PORTERVILLE, Cal., Aug. 6.—Business houses of Porterville, practically without exception, and all those whose owners are members of the Porterville Business Men's Association, will go on a cash basis September 1. This announcement has been made by Leslie W. Laumeister, the association secretary, the meat markets being the last to change, and they have gone a step further in cutting out all free delivery. Difficulty in securing competent help, elimination of the waste of bad credits, and reduction of clerical force, are given as some of the principal causes for the proposed change.

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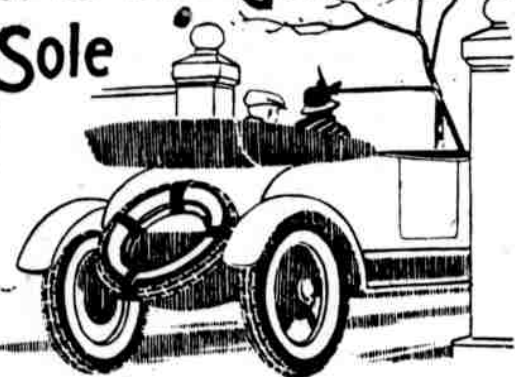
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